

**Introduced by Senator Yee**

February 19, 2008

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An act relating to whistleblower protections.

**LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST**

SB 1267, as introduced, Yee. Whistleblower protections: complaint response.

Existing law, the California Whistleblower Protection Act, requires the State Auditor to investigate and report on complaints of improper governmental activity, defined as an action that is in violation of law or is economically wasteful or that involves gross misconduct, incompetence, or inefficiency.

This bill would declare the Legislature's intent to ensure that procedures to respond to a complaint made pursuant to that act are effective and completed in an expeditious manner.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to ensure that
- 2 the procedures to respond to a complaint made pursuant to Article
- 3 3 (commencing with Section 8547) of Chapter 6.5 of Division 1
- 4 of Title 2 of the Government Code are effective and are completed
- 5 in an expeditious manner.

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